

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 738

Introduced by Assembly Member Strickland

February 22, 2007

An act to amend Section 1107 of the Ojai Basin Groundwater Management Agency Act (Chapter 750 of the Statutes of 1991), relating to water.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 738, as introduced, Strickland. Ojai Basin Groundwater Management Agency.

The Ojai Basin Groundwater Management Agency Act establishes the Ojai Basin Groundwater Management Agency. The act authorizes the agency to impose, by ordinance, a charge on the extraction of groundwater by the use of extraction facilities within the boundaries of the agency to pay the costs of the agency in carrying out groundwater management activities. The act prohibits the agency from imposing a charge that exceeds \$7.50 per acre-foot pumped per year.

This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to the provision that sets forth this limitation.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 1107 of the Ojai Basin Groundwater
- 2 Management Agency Act (Chapter 750 of the Statutes of 1991) is
- 3 amended to read:

1 1107. The groundwater extraction charge ~~shall~~ *may* not exceed
2 seven dollars and fifty cents (\$7.50) per acre-foot pumped per
3 year.

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